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E.O. 11652: XGDS-2

TAGS: ASEC

SUBJECT: PROBABLE PENETRATION

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- 1. ANTENNA APPEARS TO BE A MODIFIED 3 ELEMENT YAGI (SIMILAR TO SOVIET TV ANTENNAE) DIRECTED IN A NORTH EASTERLY DIRECTION. POLARIZATION IS VERTICAL.
- 2. ANTENNA IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY AT THE TOP OF THE SEVENTH FLOOR INSIDE THE CHIMNEY.
- 3. ANTENNA FEEDS A WHITE BOX ABOUT 4" X 2" X 10" THAT IS PROBABLY A PREAMP SINCE "12V" IS CLEARLY VISIBLE.
- 4. SECOND WHITE BOX ABOUT 3" X 1 1/2" X 8" IS TAPED TO ABOVE BOX AND MAY BE A COMBINING NETWORK.
- 5. OTHER WRITING VISIBLE IS "1361XOJ" AND "N003"
- 6. ANTENNA HAS BEEN LEFT IN PLACE AND CABLES ARE INTACT. IT HAS BEEN SECURED BY LINES AND STEEL BARS TO PRECLUDE ATTEMPT AT RECOVERY BY OPPOSITION.

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- 7. CHIMNEY SHAFT MAY INCLUDE MULTIPLE CABLES AT LOWER LEVELS THAT APPEAR TO ENTER BOTH THE EMBASSY AND SOVIET BUILDING. CABLES CONTINUE DOWN SHAFT AND ENTER SOVIET BUILDING AT BASEMENT LEVEL.
- 8. WE WILL SOON ENTER SHAFT TO INSPECT LOWER SUSPECTED

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